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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/612,822 Confirmation No. : 3901
Applicant : Mark A. Moehring
Filed : July 1, 2003 Attorney Docket No. : 500580.08
Art Unit : 3768 Customer No. : 27,076
Examiner : Francis J. Jaworski
Title : DOPPLER ULTRASOUND METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MONITORING
BLOOD FLOW

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Sir:

Applicant requests continued examination, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, of the above-identified application.

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1. Submission Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☐ Submission previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____.
 - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
 - iii. ☐ Consider the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) previously filed on _____.

b. ☒ Submission enclosed

i. ☒ Amendment/Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

2. Suspension of Action (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of ____ months.

3. Accompanying Papers

☒ Postcard

☒ Check

☒ Fee Transmittal Sheet

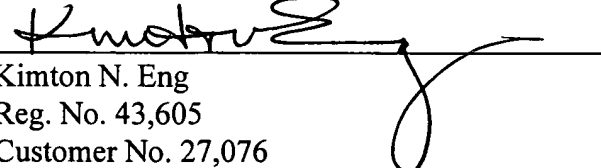
☐ Petition

4. Deposit Account

☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1266.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 12, 2007

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